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Dear Mr. Lucas,

I'll be in Phila. at the time you are. I'm waiting to hear from a radio station about my appearance there. If they fix the date before you leave, I'll write you. Right now it looks like either the afternoon of 7/26 or the morning of 7/27 will be okay.

Last night I had a phone call from Orest Pena. He says Bringuier is now suing him! For testifying! I suggested that he get in touch with you and with Bill Martin, of the DA's office. I had taken ^martin to Pena the last Sunday in April. Pena was to have been a grand-jur y witness. He says he has now been advised by his lawyer to "stay out of it" because defending suits costs money. I wonder if this type of entirely spurious suit can properly called intimidation of witnesses. But Pena can tell you all about Bringuier, and I thought it also good for you to meet him in the event there is a trial.

Sincerely yours,

Harold Weisberg